

## E.7 – Adopt 2025 Management Alternatives for Public Review

### Council Tasks:

1. Adopt proposed 2025 ocean salmon fishery management alternatives for public review.
2. If necessary, identify and justify any alternative(s) that would require implementation by emergency rule.

### Council Action:

Adopt Ocean Salmon Management Alternatives for Public Review

### **ODFW Motion:**

I move to adopt for public review the alternatives for non-Indian commercial and recreational fisheries in the area from Cape Falcon south to the Oregon/California border as presented in Agenda Item E.7.a, Supplemental STT Report 1, dated March 10, 2025 as amended

with the following changes:

## **TABLE 1**

### **ODFW Commercial Management Alternatives – beginning on page 4**

#### **Cape Falcon to the OR/CA Border** **Alternative 2**

- Replace April 15-May 31 with:  
***April 15-May 15. See 2024 management measures, and 2025 inseason actions. Dates may be subject to further inseason action.***

#### **May 16-31**

In the last paragraph add “**All vessels fishing in the area must land their salmon in the State of Oregon.**”

#### **Cape Falcon to the Heceta Bank Line** **Alternative 3**

- Replace April 15-May 31 with:  
***April 15-May 15. See 2024 management measures, and 2025 inseason actions. Dates may be subject to further inseason action.***

#### **May 16-31 (C.9.a)**

#### **Cape Falcon to Humbug Mt.**

#### **Alternative 1, 2, and 3**

Add “Oregon State regulations require all fishers landing coho salmon into Oregon from any fishery between Cape Falcon, OR and Humbug Mountain to notify ODFW within one hour of delivery or prior to transport away from the port of landing by either calling 541-857-2546 or sending notification via e-mail to [nfalcon.trollreport@odfw.oregon.gov](mailto:nfalcon.trollreport@odfw.oregon.gov) (C.11.). Notification shall include vessel name and number, number of salmon by

species, port of landing and location of delivery, and estimated time of delivery” at the end of the regulatory language.

### **Alternative 1**

- Replace April 10-May 31 with:

***April 10-May 15. See 2024 management measures, and 2025 inseason actions. Dates may be subject to further inseason action.***

### **May 16-31**

In the last paragraph add “**All vessels fishing in the area must land their salmon in the State of Oregon.**”

### **Humbug Mt. to OR/CA Border.**

#### **Alternative 1**

Add “**Closed. In 2026, the season will open March 15 for all salmon except coho. Chinook minimum size limit of 28 inches total length (B, C.1). Gear restrictions (C.2, C.3) same as in 2025. This opening could be modified following Council review at its March 2026 meeting (C.8).**”

#### **Alternative 3**

- Add “**See 2024 management measures, and 2025 inseason actions. Dates may be subject to further inseason action.**”  
After the April 15-30 date.

## **TABLE 2**

**ODFW Recreational Management Alternatives – beginning on page 17**

### **Cape Falcon to Humbug Mt.**

#### **Alternative 1, 2, and 3**

Remove the paragraph beginning with “**In 2026, the season will open...**”

#### **Alternative 1**

- Replace March 15-May 31 with:

**March 15-May 15. See 2024 management measures, and 2025 inseason actions. Dates may be subject to further inseason action.**

### **May 16-31**

Remove the paragraph beginning with “**In 2026, the season will open...**”

### **Alternative 2**

- Add “**See 2024 management measures, and 2025 inseason actions. Dates may be subject to further inseason action.**”  
After the March 15-April 30 date range.

### **Cape Falcon to OR/CA Border.**

#### **Alternative 1, 2, and 3**

- Add, “**In 2026, the season will open March 15 for all salmon except coho, two salmon per day (C.1). Chinook minimum size limit of 24 inches total length (B, C.1); and the same gear restrictions as in 2025 (C.2, C.3). This opening could be modified following Council review at its March 2026 meeting.**”

### **Humbug Mt. to OR/CA Border.**

#### **Alternative 1**

- Replace “**May 1-June 4**” with “**May 16-June 4**”

#### **Alternative 2**

- Remove “**May 15-June 4; Same as Alternative 1.**”

Moved by John North

Seconded by Christa Svensson

Motion passes with Marci Yaremko, Corey Ridings, Rebecca Lent voted no, and Marc Gorelnik abstains.

**CDFW Motion:**

I move to adopt for STT collation, analysis and public review the salmon management measures for the 2025 non-Indian commercial and recreational ocean fisheries in the area from the Oregon/California border to the U.S./Mexico border as presented in Agenda Item E.7.a, Supplemental STT Report 1 dated March 10, 2025, including the commercial and recreational requirements, definitions, restrictions, and exceptions.

Moved by Marci Yaremko

Seconded by Marc Gorelnik

Motion passed unanimously

**WDFW Motion:**

I move to adopt for public review the alternatives for non-Indian commercial and recreational fisheries in the area North of Cape

Falcon as presented in Agenda Item E.7.a, Supplemental STT Report 1, dated March 10, 2025, with the following modifications:

For the North of Falcon non-Indian fishery: Adjust the quota in Alternative III to 85,000 marked coho. Calculate all commercial/recreational and sub-area allocations consistent with Fishery Management Plan defined sharing throughout Tables 1 and 2.

Moved by Kyle Adicks

Seconded by Butch Smith

Motion passes unanimously

**Tribal Motion:**

For tribal ocean fisheries in the area north of Cape Falcon, I move the Council adopt for public review the alternatives as presented in Agenda Item E.7.a, Supplemental STT Report 1, Table 3 (March 11, 2025).

Moved by David Sones

Seconded by

Motion passes unanimously